1. The Commissioner of Police.
2. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.
3. Mr. K. S. Panikkar.
4. Mr. P. Sankunni Menon.
5. Mr. A. V. Moothedan.
6. The Government Advocate & Law Officer.

Motion put and carried.

Mr. President.—The Committee will report within 2 months. The Chairman of the Committee will be the Government Advocate and Law Officer.

The Cochin Trade Union Bill.

Mr. Thomas Manjuran.—I beg to move that a fresh select committee be appointed to consider the Cochin Trade Union Bill. This bill had also been referred to a select committee during the course of the last Council but for want of time they did not report. I request that the members whose names have been given in the notice of the motion may be appointed to form the select committee.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I second it.

Mr. President.—The question is that the Cochin Trade Union Bill be referred to a select committee consisting of the following members.—

1. Mr. K. Ayyappan.
2. Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.
3. Mr. George Parakkal.
4. Miss. P. Meenakshikutty Amma.
5. Mr. J. H. Walmesly.
6. Mr. T. S. Balarama Ayyar.
7. Mr. M. A. Sankunni.

and 8. The Govt. Advocate & Law Officer.

Motion put and carried.

President.—The Government Advocate will be the Chairman and the Committee will report within 3 months.

The Cochin Income-tax Regulation Amendment Bill.

Mr. Thomas Manjuran.—Sir, I rise to move that the Cochin Income-tax Regulation Amendment Bill be referred to a select committee consisting of the members given in the motion given notice of.

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Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I second it.

Mr. President.—The question is that the Cochin Income-tax Regulation Amendment Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the following members:—

1. The Diwan Peishkar.
2. The Deputy President.
3. Mr. Shabdai S. Ider.
4. Mr. P. C. Varkey.
5. Dr. A. R. Menon.
6. Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen and
7. The Govt. Advocate & Law Officer.

Motion put and carried.

Mr. President.—The Deputy President will be the Chairman of the committee and the committee will report within three months.

The Cochin Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank Bill.

Mr. K. Narayana Menon.—Sir, I beg to move that the Cochin Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank Bill be read in Council. I do not think that this requires any explanatory remarks from me, as the expert member Rao Bahadur C. Gopala Menon will be explaining some of the outstanding features of the Bill.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I second it.

Rao Bahadur C. Gopala Menon.—Mr. President, Sir, I trust the Hon'ble members of this house will wish to know how I happened to be here for the purpose of piloting this Bill through the House. When our Diwan came to Madras early in August last he asked Sir M. Ramachandra Rao and myself to come over here to make preliminary enquiries for preparing a scheme for the starting of a Land Mortgage Bank in the State. Being the President of the Madras Central Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank and a great public worker Sir M. Ramachandra Rao readily agreed to the proposal and, being connected with that Bank also agreed to come here. But I may say that on account of the serious illness of Sir M. Rao he was not able to come and I had to come here on two occasions to consult the officers of the State for getting the necessary information for the purpose of drafting the Bill which you have got before the House now.

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